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2. The following Yugoslav youth brigades have been trained in the USSR.

Number and Name of Brigade

Strength

X	Mika Mitrović
XIV	Mahmut Dugantrija
XV	Bajo Sekulic
XVI	Mirko Tomicevic
XVII	Vlado Knezevic
****	Austro-Greut

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2. The brigades have been trained in mountain fighting and in co-operation with the police. Each brigade is to have three commanders who will be, from the point of view of the Tito government, men of unimpeachable character and security.
3. Tito has ordered that headquarters and staffs of the brigades be located in places which make it impossible to distinguish between brigade members and the local populace. Relatives of brigade members may not be employed in areas where the brigade members are stationed.

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